

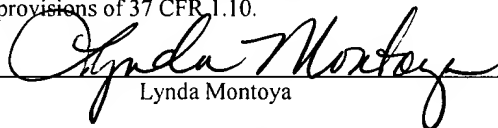


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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**In re New Continuation U.S. Patent Application of:****Applicants:** M. Tischler, et al.**Continuation of U.S. Patent Application:** 08/955,168**Application No.:** Not Yet Assigned**Date Filed:** August 14, 2001**Title:** BULK SINGLE CRYSTAL
GALLIUM NITRIDE AND
METHOD OF MAKING
SAME**Docket No.:** 2771-161 CON**Parent Application Examiner:** M. Miggins**Parent Application Group Art Unit:** 1772#2/A(c)
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